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Newsletter

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Welcome to the July 2026 Newsletter

Hope that you are all enjoying the heatwave (unless it has ended in a storm by the time you read this)!

Many thanks to all those who attended the Afternoon Tea on 10 July and, of course, special thanks to all the organisers.

Some members attended the service to celebrate the life of Sheila Schofield who had been a loyal and enthusiastic supporter of the Singing for Pleasure Group.

We were also very sorry to hear of the recent passing of Dorothy Anderson who was a stalwart of our Walking Group. The funeral is at 12.45pm on 11th August at Altrincham Crematorium.

As usual, there will be no u3a activities at Sale Moor Community Centre during August. The Centre will close after 24 July and reopen for u3a activities on 1 September 2026.

Chair – Carole Barley

Friday General Meetings

Our next talk will be on 24th July when Roger Browne will talk about "The Golden Age of Radio"

There are no u3a activities at the Sale Moor Community Centre in August, so our next film will be on Friday 11th September. We will be showing "Conclave". This is a 2024 political thriller film directed by Edward Berger and written by Peter Straughan, based on the 2016 novel by Robert Harris. The film stars Ralph Fiennes, Stanley Tucci, John Lithgow, Sergio Castellitto, and Isabella Rossellini. In the film, Cardinal Thomas Lawrence (Fiennes) organizes a conclave to elect the next pope and finds himself investigating secrets and scandals about the major candidates.

**Sale u3a present
a talk by
Roger Browne**



**The Golden Age
of Radio**

**2pm (doors open 1.30pm)
on Friday 24 July**

**Sale Moor Community Centre
Just £2.00 for Refreshments**

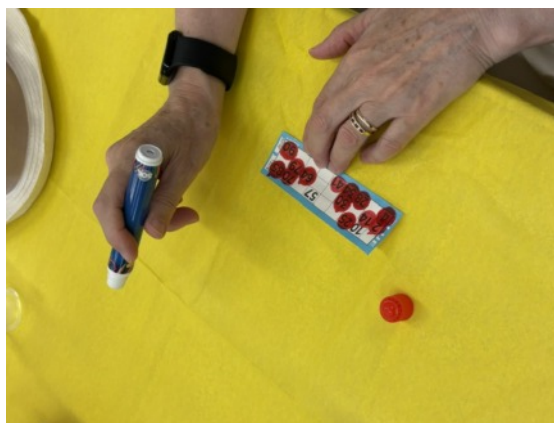


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Afternoon Tea - 10 July 2026

On what was probably one of the hottest days of the year, about 80 members enjoyed a lovely afternoon, with a competitive bingo game, afternoon tea and good chat.



Trip to Oxford - 12/13 July 2026

Sale U3a had a great trip to Upton House (National Trust) and Oxford on Sunday and Monday 12/13 July. 33 travellers enjoyed some history, gardens & woodland, walks and talks, famous cityscape views, bus tour, and museums as well as some good food and a night at a cool and comfortable hotel in Summertown, Oxford. We had a lovely time. Thanks to the organisers F & C and to our amazing driver G. Click this [link to see more pictures](#)

